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STATE OF PREPAREDNESS OF DOCUMENTS FOR THE THIRD SESSION OF THE PREPARATORY COMMITTEE FOR THE UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON HUMAN SETTLEMENTS (HABITAT II)

Note by the secretariat

1. In its resolution 33/56, of 14 December 1978, section III, paragraph 2(c), the General Assembly stipulates that a report should be circulated eight weeks before the opening of an intergovernmental body on the state of preparedness of all the documents for the session, in all languages. Furthermore, in paragraph 1 of resolution 36/117B of 10 December 1981, the General Assembly decided that the documents should be given effective simultaneous distribution in sufficient time in the official and working languages of the United Nations. The injunction in resolution 33/56 was reaffirmed by the General Assembly in its resolution 39/68 of 13 December 1984.

2. In compliance with the above-mentioned resolutions, the UNCHS (Habitat) secretariat submits the following table which shows the status of preparation and distribution of documents for the Preparatory Committee at its third session as at 11 December 1995.

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		Letter of convocation	Available
		Notification by the Secretary-General	Available in all languages
1	A/CONF.165/PC.3/1	Provisional agenda	Available in all languages
1	A/CONF.165/PC.3/1/Add.1	Annotations to the provisional agenda: note by the Secretariat	Available in all languages
2	A/CONF.165/PC.3/2	Accreditation of non-governmental organizations and local authorities: report of the Secretary-General	To be finalised in January 1996
3	A/CONF.165/PC.3/3	Progress report of the Secretary-General of the Conference Secretariat	In translation
3	A/CONF.165/PC.3/3/Add.1	The future of human settlements can make a difference. Executive Summary	Available in A.E.F.R & S. In translation to C.
4	A/CONF.165/PC.3/4	Draft Statement of Principles and Commitments and Global Plan of Action: report of the Secretary-General	Available in A.E.F.R. & S. In translation to C.
4	A/CONF.165/PC.3/4/Add.1	Report of the Informal Drafting Group of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II)	Available in all lanugages
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4	A/CONF.165/PC.3/4/Add.3	Matters arising out of the deliberations of the Commission on Human Settlements at its fifteenth session: note by the Secretariat	Available in A.E.F.R & S. In translation to C.
4	A/CONF.165/PC.3/4/Add.4	New objectives, role and place of the United Nations Centre for Human Settlements (Habitat) within the United Nations system: note by the Secretariat	Available in A.E.F.R & S. In translation to C.
5	A/CONF.165/PC.3/5	Provisional agenda of the conference	Available in all languages
6	A/CONF.165/PC.3/6	Other matters	To be prepared as and when necessary
7	A/CONF.165/PC.3/7	Report of the third session of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II)	Prepared in session
4	A/CONF.165/PC.3/CRP.1	Matters arising out of the resolutions of major legislative organs of the United Nations and other intergovernmental bodies which are brought to the attention of the Preparatory Committee: note by the Secretariat	To be prepared after the General Assembly
3	A/CONF.165/PC.3/CRP.2	The future of human settlements: Full text	In translation
1	A/CONF.165/PC.3/INF.1	State of preparedness of documents for the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II)	Available in E
1	A/CONF.165/PC.3/INF.2	List of documents for third session of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II)	Available in E
3	A/CONF.165/PC.3/INF.3	Report of the regional ministerial meetings on preparations for the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II)	Available in E
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